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A New Almanacke and Prog-
nostication in which you may
behold the state of this pre-
sentyere of our Lord

GOD 1635.

*Being the third from the
Leape-year.*

Composed for the Meridian of the
famous City of LONDON, and will
serue generally for all Great
BRITAIN.

By Thomas Langley

*Felix qui potuit rerum cog-
noscere causas.*

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The Common Notes and moueable Feasts according to the

Old Account:

New Account:

2.	The Golden number.	2.
20.	The circle of the Sunne.	20.
22.	The Epact.	12.
3.	The Roman Indiction.	3.
10.	The Doctrinal Letter.	10.
8. February	Shrove Sunday.	February 18.
11. Febrys.	Shrove Sunday	February 21.
29. March	Easter day.	Aprill 8.
7. May	Ascension day.	May 17.
17. May	White Sunday.	June 27.
29. Nouemb.	Truene Sunday.	December. 2.
27. May	Corpus Christi.	June 7.

Obserue this that the mooueable Feasts in those parts beyond Seas bee kept the same day that wee keepe them; but the fixed, as the natiuity of our Saviour, Michaelmas, St. John Baptists, St. Andrew &c. and the rest, bee kept 20. dayes before wee celebrate them.

Of the yeeere in generall.

The Iulian yeeere begins by the first of January
The Gregorians begins the 12. of our December
The Church of Engladon's cases March the 25
The yeeere of the Kings Beigne War. by the 27
The state of Florence Sirney and Pisa March 25
The Emprze (as the Iulian) the first of January
The Church of Rome on the 25. of December
The Egyptians and Perlians the 18. of our July
The Arabians and mo^t people of Asia September 13.
The Hebrews Greekes Sacracens & Turks 12. on Iun.
The Tropical or true Solay yeeere beginneth at vernal equinox & contains 365. dayes 5. houres 50. min.
The Sidericall yeeere or starry beginneth when the Sunne is with the first star of Aries & 365. dayes 6. houres 6. minuts.

A Moneth.

Solar is the continuance of the Sunne in one signe
Of Apantion is 28. dayes or 4. weekes
Of Paragation is 27. dayes and 8. houres
Of Consecution is from new moone to new moone
For v^e of money is according to the Kalender
Weekes

A weeke hath the name in latien Septimana or 7 mornings yet to comyn only 7. nights or in briefe I taught.

The weeke begunneth on Sunday morning about midnight, so that our Sunday is the first day of the weeke called Dies Dominicus the Lords day.

Day

A day Artificiall is the time between Sun rising and Sun setting & the night from Sun set to Sunne rise.

A day naturall is the time of 24. houres the beginning whereof is with vs here in England and the Romans at midnight.

The Athenians at Sunne setting. The Babilonians at Sun rising. The Ambians & Astronomers at v^e.

The Anothomie of Mans body as the
parts thereof are governed by the
twelve Celestiall Signes
in the Zodiacke.

♈ Aries, Head and Face.

♉ Taurus,
Neck and
Throate.

♊ Gemini,
Armes and
Shoulders.

♋ Cancer,
Brest and
Stomache.

♌ Leo,
Heart and
Backe.

♍ Libra,
Kernes and
Loynes.

♎ Scorpio,
Secrets &
Members.

♏ Capricorne
The
Buttes.

♐ Aquarius,
The
Legges.

♑ Pisces, the Kete.

The characters of the planets, and their aspects.

♄ Saturne. ♃ Iupiter. ♀ Mars. ☉ The Sunne. ♀ Venus.
☿ Mercury. ☾ The Moone in creasing. ☾ Moone decreasing.
☿ Coniunction. ☿ Opposition. ☿ Quartile. ☿ Trine.
☿ Sextile. ♀ Caput draconis. ☿ Cauda draconis.

Januarie hath xxxj. dayes.

Cold January loues hot cloathes,
 Warme broths warme meates are best
 Blood-letting is vnhollemie, Bathes
 Vse non but warme, fly rest

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1	a	Circin. Ch.	Libra 20) Last quar-	11	d
2	b	Oct. Steph.	Scorp 3	ter the 1 day	12	e
3	c	Oct. John.	Scorp 15	about 3. in the	13	f
4	d	Oct. Innoc.	Scorp 28	morning.	14	g
5	e	Edward. dep.	Sagit 11		15	a
6	f	Epiphany	Sagit 24		16	b
7	g	Felix & Jan.	Capri 8		17	c
8	a	Antian pri.	Capri 22	● Rem	18	d
9	b	Joyce. vir.	Aqua 6	Wooner the 8.	19	e
10	c	Paul. I. her.	Aqua 20	day, about 10	20	f
11	d	Solin Aquari.	Pisces 5	at night.	21	g
12	e	Archad mare	Pisces 19		22	a
13	f	Solin Aqua.	Aries 4		23	b
14	g	Felix prie.	Aries 19		24	c
15	a	Agaurice.	Taurus 3	) First quar-	25	d
16	b	Marcell ba.	Taur. 17	ter the 15. day	26	e
17	c	Anthoile.	Gem. 1	about one a	27	f
18	d	Prisca vir.	Gem 14	clocke after	28	g
19	e	Amolstan.	Gem 27	noone.	29	a
20	f	Fab. & Deb.	Canc. 10		30	b
21	g	Agnes	Canc. 22		31	c
22	a	Vincet.	Leo 4	February	1	d
23	b	Terme begin.	Leo 17	1635.	2	e
24	c	Timothie.	Leo 28	● Full moone	3	f
25	d	Septuagesl.	Virgo 10	the 27. day	4	g
26	e	Holicarpe.	Virgo 22	about 2 a clock	5	a
27	f	Agnes the 2.	Libra 4	in the morn.	6	b
28	g	Valerius.	Libra 16	) Last quar-	7	c
29	a	Theodo pri.	Libra 28	ter the last	8	d
30	b	Wacild Que.	Scorp 10	day 7 in the	9	e
31	c	Saturnine.	Scorp 23	morning.	10	f

February bath xxviij. dayes.

Milke now and fennish Foule deny
as no great household messe,
Now medicines and Phlebotomy
Are vsd wihill successe.

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1	D	Priger. fab.	Dayt 6	●	Peto	11	●
2	e	Bur. i. Waryp	Dayt 19	●	Moone & 7.	12	a
3	f	Blase Bish.	Capri 2	●	day weste 9.	13	b
4	g	Silbert Bish.	Capri 19	●	in the morning	14	c
5	a	Agache Wit.	Aquar 9	●		15	d
6	b	Medasti. & 3 n	Aqua 14	●		16	e
7	c	Agule.	Aqua 29	●		17	f
8	D	Amous Sun.	Pisces 14	●	1st quarter	18	a
9	e	Polina	Pisces 29	●	ter the 14 d	19	b
10	f	Sol. in Pisces.	Aries 14	●	about 1 in the	20	c
11	g	Dotheis.	Aries 29	●	morning.	21	d
12	a	Cernic ends	Taur 13	●		22	e
13	b	Mollan bish.	Taur 27	●		23	f
14	c	Valentine.	Gem 11	●	● Full moone	24	a
15	D	1st Sun. in Len	Gem 24	●	the 21 day	25	b
16	e	wedd. got out	Cancer 7	●	about 8 at	26	c
17	f	Samuell	Cancer 20	●	nighr.	27	d
18	g	Hugh bish.	Lea 2	●		28	e
19	a	Sabine	Lio 14	●	March	1	f
20	b	Milored Wit.	Lio 26	●		2	a
21	c	79. Marlers	Virgo 8	●		3	b
22	D	2 Sun. in Leu.	Virgo 19	●		4	c
23	e	Polica.	Lib: a 1	●		5	d
24	f	Agathas & p	Lib: a 13	●		6	e
25	g	Juen Paul	Lib: a 24	●		7	f
26	a	Pellor mart.	Scor 6	●		8	a
27	b	Agustine	Scor 19	●		9	b
28	c	D. wild.	Dayt 1	●		10	c

Note that 60. minutes make an houre; 30.
minutes make halfe an houre & 15 a quarter

March hath xxxi. dayes.

Such victualls March requireth
As are both light and pure:
Blood-letting somewhat profiteth;
And medicines somewhat cure.

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1	D	Sun. in Lent	Sagitt 14) Last quar	11	G
2	e	Charde	Sagitt 27	ter first day	12	a
3	f	Maurice	Capri 10	about a 11. at	13	b
4	g	Adrian	Capri 24	nigh.	14	c
5	a	Joseph Cu.	Sagitt 8		15	d
6	b	Victor & Vic	Sagitt 23		16	e
7	c	Perpetus	Pisces 8		17	f
8	D	4. Sun. in Lent	Pisces 23	● New moon	18	G
9	e	40. Martyrs	Aries 8	ne 8 day	19	a
10	f	Agapite	Aries 23	about 6 at	20	b
11	g	Solin in Aries	Taurus 7	nighr.	21	c
12	a	Gregorie	Taur 22		22	d
13	b	Theodore	Gemi 6		23	e
14	c	Candide	Gemi 20		24	f
15	D	5 Sun. in Lent	Cancer 3	● Full quar.	25	G
16	e	Fontaine	Canc 16	the 15 day	26	a
17	f	Barthe	Canc 29	neare midnigh.	27	b
18	g	Edward	Leo 11		28	c
19	a	Josmarth	Leo 23		29	d
20	b	Cuthbert	Virgo 5		30	e
21	c	Benedict	Virgo 17		31	f
22	D	Palme Sund	Virgo 28	April	1	G
23	e	Theodore	Libra 10		2	a
24	f	Agapite & alt	Libra 22	● Full moons	3	b
25	g	Ann. of Ma	Scorp 4	23. day, a=	4	c
26	a	Castor	Scorp 15	bout 2. at noon.	5	d
27	b	St. Key Car.	Scorp 28		6	e
28	c	Marthe	Sagitt 10	(Last quar	7	f
29	D	Easter day.	Sagitt 23	ter the 31. day	8	G
30	e	Quirke	Capri 6	about noon.	9	a
31	f	Adelme	Capri 19		10	b

Aprill hath xxx. dayes.

Those meates are good in Aprill
Which March desired to haue
Blood-letting now doth very well
Now purging medicines craue.

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1	a	Gildard	Aquar	3		II	c
2	a	Mery Egypt	Aquar	17		12	d
3	b	Richard.	Pisces	1	● New	13	e
4	c	Ambrose	Pisces	16	Moons	14	f
5	d	John Sunda	Pisces	1	day, about 3	15	g
6	e	ected. comstn	Pisces	16	in p. morning.	16	a
7	f	Cuphanta	Taurus	1		17	b
8	g	Ogellippus.	Taur.	16		18	c
9	a	Perseus.	Gemin.	0		19	d
10	b	Solin Taur.	Gem.	14		20	e
11	c	Guchlare.	Gem.	28	ter. 14 day.	21	f
12	d	Julius.	Cancer	11	the morning.	22	g
13	e	Zeun.	Canc.	24		23	a
14	f	Dylle.	Leo	7		24	b
15	g	Perne begin.	Leo	20		25	c
16	a	Althre.	Virgo	2	● Full moon	26	d
17	b	Unicete.	Virgo	4	the 22. day.	27	e
18	c	Clutcher.	Virgo	26	about 7. in	28	f
19	d	Alphege.	Libra	8	the morning.	29	g
20	e	Aliaoz.	Libra	19		30	a
21	f	Syneon.	Scorp	1	Mar.	1	b
22	g	Sorther.	Scorp	13		2	c
23	a	St. George.	Scorp	25		3	d
24	b	Althre.	Sagitt	7		4	e
25	c	St. Marks.	Sagitt	19		5	f
26	d	Cler.	Capit.	2		6	g
27	e	Anastatius.	Capit.	15	(Last quar-	7	a
28	f	Althre.	Capit.	29	ter. 29. day.	8	b
29	g	Peter mil.	Aqua	12	about 9 a'clock	9	c
30	a	Erken wald.	Aqua	26	at night.	10	d

May hath xxxj. dayes.

In May thou mayst with safety
Both Bathe and rake Purgation,
Use Vomit and Phlebotomy
And like euacuation.

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1	b	Phil. & Iaco.	Pi'ces 11			11	e
2	c	Izhanallus	Pi'ces 26			12	f
3	d	Rogatt. Sun	Pries 10	●	Rem	13	g
4	e	Medd. go out	Pries 25		Home 6.	14	a
5	f	Goddard	Tagr. 10		day, about 11.	15	b
6	g	John port lat	Tabr. 24		at noon.	16	c
7	a	Akcut. day.	Glen. 9			17	d
8	b	Appa. Mich	Glen. 22			18	e
9	c	Nicholas	Can: cr. 6	)	first quar-	19	f
10	d	Godian.	Can: cr. 19		ter 13. day.	20	g
11	e	Germe. ends.	Leo 22		about 7. clock	21	a
12	f	Solin Gemint	Leo 25		at night.	22	b
13	g	Seruatius	Leo 28			23	c
14	a	Boniface	Mirgo 10			24	d
15	b	Yldoze	Mirgo 22			25	e
16	c	Wandordt.	Lib: 4	●	full moon	26	f
17	d	Calber. Sun b	Lib: 16		the 21. day.	27	g
18	e	Dalor mar.	Lib: 28		near 9. day.	28	a
19	f	Douglas	Scorp 10		night.	29	b
20	g	Ember we. b	Scorp 22			30	c
21	a	Bernardine	Sagitt 4			31	d
22	b	Hellen. Que.	Sagitt 17			1	e
23	c	Medd. come in	Sagitt 29			2	f
24	d	Trinity Sun	Capit 12			3	g
25	e	Adelme	Capit 25			4	a
26	f	Angustine	Aquar 7			5	b
27	g	German	Aquar 22	(	last quar-	6	c
28	a	Corpus Chris	Pisces 7		ter the 29. day	7	d
29	b	Germe begin.	Pat. of		about 3. clock	8	e
30	c	Petronile	Pisces		in the mo:ntn.	9	f
31	d	Aerius.	Charles			10	g

June hath xxx. dayes.

Cooler Hearbes in June are very meete
But such meates shun cheefely,
And drinckes that are both new & sweete;
Take pleasures medicinally.

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1	e	Nichomede	Taurus 5	11	a
2	f	Marcellus	Taur 19	12	b
3	g	Crastus	Gem 3	13	c
4	a	P. trolius	Gem 17	14	d
5	b	Bonifacius	Canc 1	15	e
6	c	M. Iustus	Canc 14	16	f
7	d	Mollan	Canc 27	17	g
8	e	William	Leo 14	18	a
9	f	Edmund	Leo 23	19	b
10	g	Juan	Virgo 5	20	c
11	a	Salvador	Virgo 17	21	d
12	b	Anthony	Libra 1	22	e
13	c	Solin Cancer	Libra 14	23	f
14	d	Basil	Libra 27	24	g
15	e	Hodellus	Scor 1	25	a
16	f	Tran. Cl.	Scor 14	26	b
17	g	Terence	Sag 1	27	c
18	a	Crepertus	Sag 14	28	d
19	b	Caruatus	Sag 27	29	e
20	c	Ed. Tran.	Capri 1	30	f
21	d	Malburge	Capri 14	1	g
22	e	Ethaine	Aquar 5	2	a
23	f	Etheld.	Aquar 19	3	b
24	g	John Baptis	Pisces 3	4	c
25	a	Tran. Cl.	Pisces 17	5	d
26	b	John & Paul.	Trics 1	6	e
27	c	Fresens	Trics 14	7	f
28	d	Leonis fast.	Taurus 1	8	g
29	e	St. Peter.	Taur 15	9	a
30	f	Con. of Paul	Taur 29	10	b

July hath xxxi. dayes.

Sleepe not too much, so coole Bathes go
Refuse to vse Phlebotomy,
This month abstaine from *Venus* woe,
Take heed keepe not her company.

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1	g	Oct. Jo. Ba.	Gem 13		11	c
2	a	Milt. of Ma.	Gem 27		12	d
3	b	Gregorie	Cancer 10		13	e
4	c	Martin	Canc 23	● New	14	f
5	d	Jo. bir.	Leo 6	moone the 4.	15	g
6	e	Oct. Pet	Leo 18	day, near 7.	16	a
7	f	Becket,	Virg 1	in the morn.	17	b
8	g	Grimbald	Virgo 13		18	c
9	a	Cicill	Virgo 25		19	d
10	b	7. Berthe: en	Libra 7		20	e
11	c	Benedic	Libra 19	) first quar-	21	f
12	d	Ab. s. fe.	Scorp 1	ter the 12. day	22	g
13	e	Bonaucne	Scorp 14	about 5. in the	23	a
14	f	Solin Leo.	Scorp 26	morning.	24	b
15	g	Swithin	Sagit 9		25	c
16	a	Dimas	Sagit 21		26	d
17	b	Benelme	Capri 4	● Fullmoone	27	e
18	c	Amulph	Capri 18	the 19. day, a	28	f
19	d	Margeret.	Aquar 6	bout 7. a clock	29	g
20	e	Dog day, reg	Aquar 19	at night.	30	a
21	f	Maxed	Aquar 29		31	b
22	g	Mary Mag.	Pisces 12	August.	1	c
23	a	Apoline	Pisces 28		2	d
24	b	Chylo fall	Aries 12		3	e
25	c	Janet Hroft	Aries 27		4	f
26	d	St. Ma. mo.	Taur 12	(Last quar-	5	g
27	e	7. Sleepers	Taur 26	ter the 26. day	6	a
28	f	Hampton	Gem 10	at noon tide	7	b
29	g	Felix	Gem 23		8	c
30	a	Abdon	Cancer 7		9	d
31	b	Germane	Canc 20		10	e

August hath xxxi. dayes.

Take little sleepe and meate and wine,
And keepe thy selfe from venery:
Abstaine also from medicine,
Fly cold Bathes and Phlebotomy.

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1	c	Lammas day	Leo 2		11	c
2	d	Stephen.	Leo 15	● Petr	12	b
3	e	Anne Steph.	Leo 27	Moons 12.	13	a
4	f	Justine	Virgo 9	day at 7. a	14	b
5	g	Osward.	Virgo 21	clock at night	15	c
6	a	Era. Christ.	Libra 3		16	d
7	b	Feast Jesu	Libra 15		17	e
8	c	Cirack	Libra 27		18	f
9	d	Roman.	Scorp 9	) first quar-	19	g
10	e	Lawrence.	Scorp 21	ter 10. day,	20	a
11	f	Ethure	Sagit 4	neare rovat	21	b
12	g	Clare.	Sagit 16	night.	22	c
13	a	St. in Virgo.	Sagit 29		23	d
14	b	Celestin	Capri 12		24	e
15	c	Adam. Ma.	Capri 26		25	f
16	d	Rechns.	Aquar 10	● fullmoone	26	g
17	e	St. Ludo.	Aquar 24	the 18. day, a	27	a
18	f	Agapite	Pisces 8	bout 4. in the	28	b
19	g	Magnus	Pisces 22	morning.	29	c
20	a	Lehis	Aries 8		30	d
21	b	Barnard	Aries 22		31	e
22	c	Pratuus	Taurus 7	September	1	f
23	d	Timothy fast	Taur. 22		2	g
24	e	Barthol. Ap.	Gem 16	(Last quar-	3	a
25	f	Lodouicus	Gem 20	ter the 24. day	4	b
26	g	Suzerene	Cancer 4	about 6. clock	5	c
27	a	Ruffine	Canc. 17	at night.	6	d
28	b	Augustine	Leo 0		7	e
29	c	Dog day, end.	Leo 12		8	f
30	d	Felix.	Leo 24		9	g
31	e	Euthbert.	Virgo 6		10	a

September hath xxx. dayes.

September yeelds fruits pleasantly
 Refraine, eate not thy fill:
 Take medicines vsc Phlebotomy
 Now spice in meates not ill.

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1	f	Giles.	Virgo 18	● New	11	b
2	g	Anthonie	Libra 0	Moone & r.	12	c
3	a	Gregorie	Libra 12	day, neare 10.	13	d
4	b	Cutburt	Libra 24	in 2 morning.	14	e
5	c	Bertine	Scorp 5		15	f
6	d	Eugenius	Scorp 17		16	g
7	e	Emurcius	Scorp 29		17	a
8	f	Mat. Mary	Sagit 11		18	b
9	g	Gorgonius	Sagit 24		19	c
10	a	Silvius	Capri 7	) First quar-	20	d
11	b	Prothus	Capri 20	ter the 9. day,	21	e
12	c	Martinian	Aquar 4	at 2. afternoo.	22	f
13	d	Solin Scorp.	Aquar 18		23	g
14	e	Holy Crosse	Pisces 2		24	a
15	f	Oct. Mary	Pisces 17		25	b
16	g	Hugh	Aries 0	● Fullmoone	26	c
17	a	Nicor	Aries 16	the 16. day,	27	d
18	b	January	Taurus 1	neare 1. noone	28	e
19	c	Ember week	Taur. 16		29	f
20	d	Eusta	Gem. 1		30	g
21	e	Matheo Ap.	Gem. 15	October,	1	a
22	f	Mauritius	Gem. 29		2	b
23	g	Tecla	Canc 13	● Last quar-	3	c
24	a	Andoche	Canc 27	ter & 23. day,	4	d
25	b	fermi.	Leo 9	at out 4. a	5	e
26	c	Cyprian	Leo 22	clock in the	6	f
27	d	Cosm. & Da.	Virgo 4	morning.	7	g
28	e	Exsuperius	Virgo 16		8	a
29	f	Nicha. Kneb	Virgo 28		9	b
30	g	Hierome	Libra 9		10	c

October hath xxxi. dayes.

Go hunt, drink wine, that's old and good
Use exercise for health,
Now mayst thou take good store of food
which hath good store of wealth.

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1	a	Remigius.	Lib: a 21	● New moon	11	d
2	b	Leodegarius	Scorp 2	the 1. day:	12	e
3	c	Candide	Scorp 14	near 3. in the	13	f
4	d	Francis.	Scorp 26	morning.	14	g
5	e	Apollinari	Sagit 8		15	a
6	f	Faith	Sagit 20		16	b
7	g	Mart. & Ma.	Capri 3		17	c
8	a	Delagius	Capri 15		18	d
9	b	Terme begin.	Capri 29	) First quar-	19	e
10	c	Geron	Aquar 12	ter the 9 day,	20	f
11	d	Petrillus.	Aquar 26	about 4. in the	21	g
12	e	Amilfride	Pisces 10	morning.	22	a
13	f	Calixtus.	Pisces 25		23	b
14	g	Sol in Scorp.	Aries 10		24	c
15	a	Walfran	Aries 25	● Full moone	25	d
16	b	Michaell	Taur 10	the 15. day, at	26	e
17	c	Echid. fast	Taur 25	10. of the clock	27	f
18	d	Luke Evan.	Gem 10	at night.	28	g
19	e	Frideswde	Gem 24		29	a
20	f	Bustrebert	Cancer 8		30	b
21	g	II 000. Virg	Canc 22		31	c
22	a	Mary Sol.	Leo 5	November:	1	d
23	b	Romanus	Leo 18		2	e
24	c	Maglorie	Virgo 0	(Last quar-	3	f
25	d	Cris. & Cris.	Virgo 13	ter the 22. day	4	g
26	e	Ursula	Virgo 25	5. at night.	5	a
27	f	Floren fast	Lib: a 7		6	b
28	g	Sim. & Iud	Lib: a 18	● New moon	7	c
29	a	Parcellus	Scorp 0	the 30. day,	8	d
30	b	Germane	Scorp 12	about 9. at	9	e
31	c	Quintus fast	Scorp 23	night.	10	f

nober with xxx. dayes.

Old Wines and sweete are holhome
 Let little Bathing serue,
 Count Venus now as loathsome,
 If health thou wilt preferre.

Accompt
 Beyond
 Sea,

1			Sagit 5		11	G
2	f	All Doules	Sagit 17		12	a
3	f	Ellenefride	Sagit 29		13	b
4	g	Amantius	Sagit 12	first quar-	14	c
5	a		Sagit 25	ter & 7. day,	15	d
6	b	Leonard	Sagit 8	neare 4 in &	16	e
7	c	omilhyade	Sagit 21	af.emoone.	17	f
8	d	4 Crowned	Pisces 5		18	G
9	e	Theodoze	Pisces 19		19	a
10	f	Martine	Aries 4		20	b
11	g	Martine, bish	Aries 19	fulmoone	21	c
12	a	Solin Sagit.	Taur 4	the 14. day,	22	d
13	b	Brice	Taur 19	neare 7. in &	23	e
14	c	Erkenwald	Gem 3	morning.	24	f
15	d	Macute	Gem 18		25	G
16	e	Edmond	Cancer 2	Last quar-	26	a
17	f	S. Hugh	Canc 16	ter the 21. day	27	b
18	g	St. Martin	Leo 6	neare 11. at	28	c
19	a		Leo 13	high noone.	29	d
20	b	Edmund	Leo 26		30	e
21	c	Bis. Ma	Virgo 8	December.	1	f
22	d	Ciceli	Virgo 21		2	G
23	e	Clement	Libra 3		3	a
24	f	Grigofon	Libra 14		4	b
25	g	Frederine	Libra 27	● Betw	5	c
26	a	Linus	Scorp 9	Moone & 29.	6	d
27	b	Agricola	Scorp 21	day, about 3.	7	e
28	c	George rube	Sagit 3	of the clocke	8	f
29	d	William Dun	Sagit 16	afternoone.	9	G
30	e		Sagit 27		10	a

December hath xxxi. dayes

Now hie and hot meates haue thou mult
 December Loues warme porions
 Drinke wine beware of too much lust
 Goe warme, and vse strong motions.

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 Beyond
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1	f	Men goes out	Capri 21		11	b
2	g	Libanius	Capri 22		12	c
3	a	Olmo. Dep	Aquar 23	First quart	13	d
4	b	Barbara	Aquar 18	the 7. day	14	e
5	c	Sabba	Pisces 1	about 2. a	15	f
6	d	Nicholas.	Pisces 14	clock in the	16	g
7	e	Amboise	Pisces 27	morning.	17	a
8	f	Conc. Ma.	Aries 14		18	b
9	g	Cyprian	Aries 28		19	c
10	a	Caliste	Taur. 13	Full moon	20	d
11	b	Damasus	Taur. 28	the 13. day	21	e
12	c	Solin Capric.	Gem 12	betweene 6. &	22	f
13	d	Luce.	Gem 27	7. at night.	23	g
14	e	Othello.	Cancr 11		24	a
15	f	Valerius.	Cancr 24		25	b
16	g	Emmet week	Leo 8		26	c
17	a	Lazarus	Leo 21	(Last quart	27	d
18	b	Gratian.	Virgo 24	ter the 21. day	28	e
19	c	Hyacinth	Virgo 16	neare 7. in	29	f
20	d	Julian fast	Virgo 29	the morning.	30	g
21	e	Thom Apo.	Libra 13		31	a
22	f	30. Martirs	Libra 29	January	1	b
23	g	Victor	Scorpi 14		2	c
24	a	Candid fast	Scorpi 27		3	d
25	b	Chilmas day	Scorpi 10		4	e
26	c	S. Stephen	Sagitt 14		5	f
27	d	S. John the	Sagitt 27	New moon	6	g
28	e	Amieles	Capri 10	the 29. day,	7	a
29	f	Thom. Dep	Capri 24	half an hour	8	b
30	g	James Cran	Aquar 7	after 6. in the	9	c
31	a	Siluester	Aquar 20	morning.	10	d

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A Prognostication
for this present yeare of
our Lord God,

1635.

Being the third from the leape yeare.

Contriving the state of the
whole yeare, the disposition of
each quarter; The rising and setting
of the Sunne: Also short Hus-
bandly advertisements, with
many convenient notes of
good consequence.

By *Thomas Langley.*

Astra regunt homines & regis astra Deum.

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Some breefe Computations of memorable Accidents compleat within this yeare. 1635.

Since	The Creation of the World.	5584
	Noahs flood.	3928
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	The destruction of <i>Troy</i> .	2818
	The Passion of our Saviour.	1602
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	The destruction of <i>Ierusalem</i> by <i>Titus</i> .	1595
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	King <i>Charles</i> s returne from <i>Spaine</i> .	12
	Our gracious Queene <i>Mary</i> came to <i>London</i> .	10
	Last great Plague at <i>London</i> .	10
	Birth of our hopefull Prince <i>Charles</i> 29. <i>May</i> .	
	On 27 of <i>March</i> begins the cleaveth of <i>K. Charles</i> .	
	The King and Queene, Prince, and Princes, prosper O Lord with happinesse.	



A Prediction
Of the foure Quarters of this
present yeare, 1635.

And first of Winter.

The ☉ in ♊ Capricorne, ☿ Aquarius, ♋ Pisces.

*Instead of Flowers and grassy Greene,
the earth hath got another hwe:
Frosts, Snow, and durty dales are scene,
where pleasant Plants most fruitfull growe.
Childhood, cold Rheume, and Phlegmatick state,
of Winters cold nature doth best relate.*

Winter the sworne enemy to Sommer, brother to old
age, the eater, and devourer, of that which Sommer,
like the carefull Ant, or busy Bee, hath provided. This
frostbitten Churle, taketh his beginning, at the Sunnes
entrance into the first scruple of Capricorne, and con-
tinueth, untill the latter part of pisces. In which time, con-
tinuing the space of 89. dayes 56. min. the length of the
day with us will be increased 4. houres 34. minuts.
This Quarter, naturally is subject to more cold than a-

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ny of the other, and the weather, being the more agreeable to its owne nature, is the better. A warme and a moyst winter is an enemy to husbandmen, but reasonable store of frost and snow doth ranken the fields and beget Plenty.

In this Brumall Quarter, it is good to drinke little, and eate well, because at this time mans stomacke being hot, is aptest to digest. The Diseases incident to this quarter, are such as accompany old age, or dotage. viz. Crampes, Palsyes, Dropsy, Cough, Stone, and strangury, Tooth-ach, Gout, Sciattica; trembling of the Ioynts, and all cold diseases, that come by want of blood.

Of the Spring.

The ☉ *Sunne* in ♈ *Aries*, & ♉ *Taurus*, II *Gemini*.

Most welcome is the fruitfull Spring,

to Creatures all that multiply,

Both Birds and Beasts to skip and sing,

in flocking sort abundantly.

In sanguine men and youthfull yeares,

this seasons nature best appears.

THe Spring Quarter, is accounted, to be the most wholesomest quarter in the yeare, and is of nature moyst, for then the Sun draweth neare unto the Zenith, coming towards the Starres of a warme nature, and when the East winds doe blow, dispersing the superfluous humors, making the Earth apt to bring forth all things, for the good, and Comfort of man.

This Seasonable quarter beginneth when the Sun entereth in *Aries* at that time the dayes and nights be equall of length, and continueth untill the twelfth of

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June, at which time the Sun hath run through, *Aries, Taurus, Gemini.*

If the Spring be much moyst, the fruites will be rotten and scarce, but weedes will abound: If hot, the Trees, bring forth leaves betimes, the fruites of this quarter, as Cherryes, &c. will soone be ripe, which being not gathered before their full maturity will be subject to wormes especially in warme Regions, but seldome with us, Roses will be ranck, but not sweet, and all such things shall better please the Eye than the taste or seat.

If it be cold and dry, there will hoare frost fall at the end of the quarter, according to the full Moone, the wine and fruits will be late ripening.

If it be wet with much south winde, and the former winds dry, with northerne winds the next Summer will happen Agues, dropping of the eyes, Paine of the Bowels and the like, a dry spring with much northerne winds, and a wet winter, full of Southerne winds, going before, causeth women with Child, to be delivered before their time, or to bring forth weake Children, so that if the quarter vary from his proper nature, the commodities of the earth, be made worse, and scarce: sicknesses like to rage this quarter, are small Pox, Measles, Squinancies, hot Feavers, Obstructions, laundise, Plurisies, Red spots Tooth-ach, Feavers of blood, Scabs, paine in the Eyes, and throate, Kings evill, Ring wormes, Wens, Faintings, Phrensies, Leprosies, falling Sicknes, griefes in armes and shoulders, caused by blood, and such like, as proceed from the corruption of blood.

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Of Summer.

The ☉ *Sunne* in ♋ *Cancer*, ♌ *Leo*, my *Virgo*.

Bright Sol having got his highest grade,
looks downe on earth with hot aspect:
Parching the ground and Cornte blade,
ripening all things with good effect.
Fierce chollicke men and middle age,
of Summers hot nature doth best presage.

Summer, the mother, and nurse of Plenty, being the third part of our vulgar yeare, according to our usuall computation, when the Sun hath fully determined the Spring time with his last grade of *Gemini*, and hath mooved in his motion to the highest point, of his course, namely to the first scruple of *Cancer* there taketh his beginning.

Now is the second Solstice of the yeare, called the *estivall* or Summer Solstice, for even as the *Sunne* when he entred into ♊. hath his greatest South declination from the equinoctiall line; So now at his ingresse at the beginning of *Cancer*, he hath his greatest declination toward the North from the saide equinoctiall line, and even then as at the time of Winter Solstice, he was so far remooved from our verticall point, that he could not moove no further towards the South, and was therefore to approach againe toward our North Latitude, at which time, he seemeth to stand: so now being come so neare our *zenith*, that he cannot moove any further, toward the North, and is therefore to revert againe, toward the South Latitude.

At his first going from us, he seemeth also to stand, In so much, that even as before at his returne toward us againe, he made with us the shortest day and the longest night

night in the yeere, so now at his returne from us, he maketh with us contrarywise, the longest day, and the shortest night in the yeere, and afterward, declineth more and more from us, as before, he mooved towards us. If Summer be over wet, the Summer fruits will putrifie, and there will be but small store of graine, there will be many sicknesses: if it be onely dry, there will happen want of graine, but Summer fruits will be wholesome, the Fishes will die in ponds, great sickness like to happen, great store of fruit of Summer. To conclude, if it be cold the yeare will be wholesome, but the fruit will be rotten.

Now mans stomacke is more weake, then before in the Winter quarter, and therefore slow of digestion, therefore use such coole meates, as doe moysten.

The sicknesses agreeing or subject to predominate this quarter and griefes and torments about the breasts, ribs and Spleenes, pushes in the face, Leprosie, beard and sore eies, with other impediments therin, plunify, Cough, heart, and stomacke aking, Sorrow, Vexations, feavers of Blood, Aposthumes, Pestilence, The Jaundis, paines in the belly, and secret parts, with other infirmities, proceeding of mellancholy.

Of Autumne.

The ☿ Sonne in ♎ Libra, m Scorpio, & ♐ Sagittarie.

For good husbands paine, Harvest yeelds gaie,
whatsoever now on earth doth grow,
Each Tree, Plant, Shrub, all for mans good,
shewes them their duty God unto.

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*Crooked old age, Humor melancholly,
with Autumnes nature truly verifie.*

A Vtunne, Harvest, or the fall of the leafe, that kindharted prodigal that giveth away all, and leaveth himselfe nothing to keepe him warme from the fury of that frost bitten churle winter, being our fourth and last quarter Astronomicall, but the third according to our English account, by nature is cold and dry, resembling the earth beginning at the Sunnes first entrance into *Libra*, producing thereby a second Equinoctiall, corqualing the dayes with the nights, which may also be called our second spring making an apt time to take Phisick, let blood, purge &c. provided with good advise of the learned Physician, and not of Quackfalvers, women doctors, &c. who kill more then they cure, therefore to be avoyded.

If Autumne be most moyst, grapes will be putrified and wine bad, if the end be wet, there will be want of fruit the ensuing yeare, if the beginning be dry, there will be much hurt, if hot, much sicknesses and evils, if cold losse of harvest fruits, in quantity, Juice, and beauty.

This quarter because of the inequality of temperature may as *Hippocrates* saith, be called the Mother, or nurse of deadly sickness especially such as these following.

Paines in the backe, and private parts, with Infirmities in the face, quartine Agues, Hemrods, and Dropsies, vertigo, falling sickness, Head-ach, Tooth-ach, surferings, Dimmes in the sight, Ravnes in the Stomacke, Surferings, Backe-ach, Purse-ach which is like to proove the Heart-ach, and such like, from the which, and all such good Lord in his mercy deliver us all.

Mortals subiect are to death,

their life alack tis but a breath :

David said twas but a spanne,

threescore and ten the age of man.

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Husbandly directions, with the
Rising and Setting of the Sun,
the dayes increase and decrease,
with some other needfull di-
rections for every month
in this yeare.

January.

IN *January* the best time to sow, remoove, prune or Lop,
is before the full of the Moone, but sow Pease, and
Beanes, and dung the land, in the last quarter: Remoove
Bees, cut downe timber. and it shall not Chinke, nor ea-
ten with wormes, in the last quarter of the Moone, set or
sow Kernels, and Berries of Bay trees, Privet, and Box,
set Quicksets, Rose trees, Peaches, Filbeard, plums, and
if the froit, be not to hard remoove trees, set Rounsevals,
Pease, and Beanes, rid fruit trees of superfluous branches
loppe trees and hedges, drench, and geld Cattle, for to
reare up for increase, fallow land; for Wheate, and Rye,
Trench gardens with dung, &c.

The 15. day the Sunne riseth three quarters of an
howre after 6. and goeth downe, a quarter after foure,
and so in two weekes, and three dayes after, the sayde
fifteenth day, the day is increased another houre.

Some are of opinion, that new yeares day, in the
morning, being redde, foretelleth much tempestuous
weather, and other ancient writers affirme, how true I
know not, if the Sunne shine on the twelfth day, there
shall be much winde, others are of opinion, that on Saint
Pauls day, if the Sunne shine, a great token of a happy
yeare

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yeare, if raine or snow, indifferent, if misty, great dearth, if Thunder, great windes, and death. Keepe your body warme, using hot moderate Dyer.

February.

BE stirring now about, to set and lay quicksets, set and plant Vines, Oylers, and Rose trees, Sow Pease, Vetches, and Beanes, Kernels, and mustarseele, plash Hedges, cast up ditches, & set hops, provide now to have fallers in Summer, sow Oates in Cold and stiffe land.

The first day the Sunne riseth a quarter after 7. and goeth downe three quarters after 4. and so in two weeks and two daies after, the day is increased another houre; the 17. day hereof the Sun ariseth three quarters after 6. and goeth downe a quarter after 5. and so in two weeks and a day after the day is increased another houre.

Some hold that if it thunder upon Shrove Tueday, foretelketh winde, and store of fruite and plenty; the Sun beames, being early abroad, others Imagin that so much he shineth that day, the like he shineth for the most part every day in Lent.

For your health take heede of cold, forbear meates that be slimye, and Flegmaticke, and if neede require, either Purge, Bathe, or Bleede.

March.

NOW regarding winde, and weather, graft, also cover the rootes of your trees, opened in December, and January, with ranke fat earth, the winde any part South, or West; & sow that you left undon last moneth: sow Beanes, Pease, Oates, Onyons, Parsnips, Carrers, Cucumbers, mellons, and all kinde of Pot-hearbs; slip Artichokes, and Sage; geld Lambs: Plow Barly land, and in cold clay land sow it.

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The fourth day the Sun ariseth a quarter after 6. and goeth down three quarters after 5. and so in two weekes and a day after; the day is increased another houre. The 16. day the Sun ariseth at 6. and goeth downe at 6. The nineteemeth day hereof, the Sun ariseth three quarters of an houre before 5. and goeth downe a quarter after 6. and so in two weekes and a day after the saide 19. day; the day is increased another houre.

Stadius, Chapter the seaventh saith, at the vespertine setting of *Arcturus*, Swallows depart by multitudes, and at his vespertine rising, they doe come againe, some also say so many mists in *March*, so many hoare frosts after Easter.

Let Blood according to your youth, strength, and necessity the signe & weather being fit, whatsoever disease cannot in the Spring time be cured by Physicke, will hardly be rid all the yeare after.

April.

IN *April* sow Barly, Hempe, and flax, and all kinde of seeds left unsowne the last moneth, pole Hops, set garden hearbs, open your hives, and give Bees free liberty, leave to succour them with foode, and let them labour for themselves, Tanners now provide them of Barke, good housewives looke to your dairyes, get and gather your yong singing Birds for the Cage; to learne to whistle as Lennet, Blackbird, Thrush, &c.

The third day ariseth the Sunne at a quarter after 5. and goeth downe three quarters after 6. and so in two weekes and two daies after the day is encreased another houre. The nineteene day hereof the Sun ariseth three quarters after foure, and goeth downe a quarter after seaven, and so in two weekes and foure dayes after, the day is increased another houre.

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The opinion of the vulgar is, that if it raine upon Ascension day, which sometimes falleth in *Aprill* it doth betoken scarcety of all kinde of foode for Cattle, but being faire it signifyeth plenty.

Now by the direction of the learned Physitian bleed & Purge, and they that have aches, or be troubled with the Gout, may goe to the bathes in this moneth and the two next.

May.

IN the begining of this moneth you may sow Barly; set and sow all manner of fine hearbs, and seeds, set stils on worke, take Lambs from their dams, stirre land for Wheate, and Rye, leave lopping of trees, reach Hop to clime, but cut of the superfluous branches, rise early and walke in fragrant fields, and by sweete running streams, sage and sweet butter is now an excellent breakfast, clarified whay, and Sage-ale, Scurvy-grasse ale, also a most soveraigne drinke, drinking it fasting.

The seaventh day the Sunne ariseth a quarter after 4. and goeth downe three quarters after seaven, and so in a 11. dayes after, the day is increased halfe an houre, The 18. day hereof the Sunne ariseth at foure, and goeth downe at 8, and so in three weekes, and foure dayes after the said 18. day, the day is encreased another halfe houre, and in five weekes and a day after the same 17. day of *May*, the day is encreased another halfe houre.

Some doe hold that the Sunne shining upon the 25. day, Wines shall prosper well; Also in the end of *May*, Oakes begin to beare blossomes, which happening, shewes much Corne, and graine, and all sort of fruite, and also a cold *May* and a windy, makes a full barne, and a findy, but a hot *May* maketh a fat Churchyard.

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June.

Observe this now to set gilly. flowers, and rosemary, shere sheepe, bring home fewell, weede Corne- and Gardens, set your Cornations, sow Lettuce and Rad- dish, three or foure dayes after the full of the Moone, and then they will not run to seede speedily, make Hay, while Sunne shineth, Carry sand, marle, and all manner of Dung what kinde soever to your land, Cut neither hedge nor tree, during the time of this and the next two moneths, towards the end of this moneth begin to cut downe your hay.

The twelfth day the Sunn ariseth three quarters of an hower after 3. and goeth downe a quarter after 8. and this is the longest day in the yeere.

And in three weekes, and fye dayes after the sayde twelfth of June, the day is shorter by halfe an hower.

Many are of opinion that if it rayne on the 24 day. of this moneth, that hazell nuts will not prosper.

Beware of great thirst, use light, thin, and coole dyet, much exercise, and chaste thoughts, Fine Sallers with coole hearbes are now good.

July.

THe moone being at the ful, gather flower and seeds, and let your flowers rather dry in the shade then in the Sunne, for the Sunne draweth away their vertue, but to avoyd corruption, before you take them away let the Sunnes heat be upon them a while, now ply your Hay Harvest, for a day slackt may be the losse of many Pounds, especially the weather being inconstant. Pull Hempe that is ripe, gather garden Beanes, set Rue, and Woorme-wood, to strow upon floors with walnut leaves, the Roomes washed with a strong lee, which will kill the fleas.

The 8. day the Sunn ariseth at foure, and goeth downe
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at 8. and in nine dayes after the saide 8. day, the day is shortned an other halfe houre. And in 5. weekes and two dayes after the saide 8. day of *June* the day is shortned a whole houre. The 29. day of *July* the Sunne ariseth a quarrer after foure, and goeth downe three quarrers after 7. and so in two weekes and 4. dayes after the saide nineteene day, the day, is decreased an other houre.

The auncients doe averre, that if it be faire 3. Sundayes before Saint *James* day, corne will be good, but wet; Corne withereth

Now use a modderate dyet, and beware of great thirst and suddaine cold, for no thing bringeth the pestilence, or pestilent feavers, sooner then that; beware of Phisicke, bleede not upon any occasion, drinke not when thou art hot. It is in vaine now to tell the carefull husbandman that it is now fit for them to be in meadows, and else where to provide for Winther. Therefore I will commend this merry Rime, to sluggards and idle persons, in the beginning of this moneth use bathing.

*Labour in Summer, take paines with the Ant,
Else in the Winter, live cold, and in want.*

August.

IN *August* if Sunne shine or faire, Reape wheate, and Rye, sow winter hearbs, in the new of the Moone, gather garden seeds, mow barley and oats, gather your Summer greater fruites, as Peares, Apples.

The fifth day, the Sunne ariseth three quarrers after foure, and goeth downe a quarter after seaven; and so in two weekes and a day after, the day is decreased another houre, the 21. day hereof the Sunne ariseth a quarter after 5. and goeth downe three quarrers after 6. and so in

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two weekes and two dayes after, the saide day is decreas-
ed another houre.

The first of this moneth the great dog riseth cosmical, *Cardan* saith at the rising of this starre all living creatures be troubled, and that it is scarce possible, that drynesse and sicknesse should not be. *Stadius* rekenes many more enormities, as troubling of wine in Sellers, and Dogs running mad, fluxes of the seas and waters, death of fishes, with the extremitie of heate, especially if *Mars* or *Jupiter*, be in fiery signes. The 24. day of this moneth is *St. Bartholomewes* day, if the wind change not the following night, the Common people hold it good. *Stadius* recounts, tempests, with haile, &c. to come from, the West, and Northwest part, in the end of *August*, which often doe hurt.

If you regard your health, refraine sleeping after meate in the day time, shunne feasts and banqueting, abandon Physicke, take heede of surferings.

September.

IN this moneth and in the end of the former. when hops wax browne it is time to gather them, the weather faire and the dew of the ground, cut downe your lent tilling, gather the fruites of your trees charily in a sunne-shine, put them to use, as Crabs, for verjuice, &c. other fruit for Sider, Perry, &c. kill bees, sow Wheate, and Rye, put swine to mast, remoove, and set slips of all sorts of flowres betwene the two Lady dayes.

Remove trees every new moone, from *September*, untill *June*, in faire warme weather, the wind South, or West. The sixth day, the Sun ariseth three quarters after 5. and goeth downe a quarter after 6. and so in 3. weekes and a day after, the day is decreased an other houre. the foureteenth day the Sunne ariseth at 5. and goeth
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downe at fixe; the sixteenth day the Sunne ariseth a quarter after 6, and goeth downe three quarters after 3, and so in two weekes and a day after the saide 21. day, the day is decreased another houre.

After the 15. day, of this moneth we must not expect Swallowes to be seene, for this Summer, If leaves remaine now on the trees, some are of opinion that it protends a cold Winter to ensue, or many Caterpillers.

Vse Physicke, but very moderately, forbear fruits that are too sweete and pleasant in the taste, or full of Juice, or rotten, and as from a Beare or Lyon, thun ryot and excesse, for feare of surfeting. Remember, *Qui ante, non cauet, post dolebit.*

So many dayes old the Moone is on *Michaelmas* day, so many floods will happen that yeare.

October.

IN this moneth & in the end of the former sow Wheat and Rye, the sooner the better, for feare of Raine, sow Acorns, and nuts, gather your Winter fruite the weather being dry in the afternoone, and in the age of the Moone, cut rose trees if you desire to have store of roses but once in two yeares, the new moone maketh a fit time to set and remoove young trees, as Plum, Pear, Apple, Bay tree, &c.

The 6 day the Sun ariseth 3. quarters after 6, and goeth down a quarter after 5. & so in 2 weekes & 2 dayes after the day is decreased another houre. The 21. day, the Sunne ariseth a quarter after 7. and goeth downe three quarters after foure, and so in 2. weekes, and two dayes after that day, the dayes are decreased another houre.

After the 15. day of this moneth, we must not looke for any more warmth, and therefore the *Germans* call it (*Den Gallen Sommer*) If leaves remaine now on the trees;

the trees some say, it portents a cold Winter, or man,
Caterpillers.

And for health refuse not any needfull Physicke at
the hands of the learned, yet warme cloathing and goe
dry shod, use all modderate sports, or exercises, for any
thing now is good that stirreth, and giveth heate to the
spirits and vivosity to the body.

November.

NOW is the best time to make malt, to kill hogs, to
trench gardens with dung, to set crabtree stockes,
sow Wheate, or Rie, in exceeding hot Soyles, cut downe
timber for plowes, Carts, and other Implements for
husbandmen.

The 7. day, the Sunne ariseth three quarters after 7:
and goeth downe a quarter after 4. and so in 4. weekes
and sixe dayes after the said seaventh day, the day is de-
creased another houre, now is it a convenient time to
uncover the rootes of your Apple trees and so let them
rest untill *March*.

It is imagined, that if on the 10. day, the heavens be
cloudy, it doth denunciate a wet Winter, if dry, a sharpe
Winter.

Use wholesome meats well spiced, and drest, drinke
sweete wine, and for digestion before all things, preferre
good and modderate exercise.

December.

IN this and the next moneth, cut downe great timber
in the last quarter of the moone, uncover the rootes of
your fruite trees, set Beanes and Pease, cover all your best
flowers, and hearbes from frosts and stormes with rot-
ten old horse litter, looke well to cattel, take soules with
lime twigs, nets, low bell, pitfold, and the like; water and
keepe moyst your meddowes.

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The 12 day is Saint *Lucies* even, now the day is at the shortest, for that same day the Sunne ariseth a quarter, after 8, and goeth downe three quarters after three, and so in 4. weekes and sixe dayes after the saide 12. day, the day is increased a whole houre.

Some say if Christmas day come in the new moone, it is a token of a good year, and so much the better by how much it is nearer the new moone; the contrary hapneth in the decrease.

Let a warme fire, be thy bath, the kitchin thy Apothecaries shop, and good hot meat, thy dyet to which according to thy abillity, Invite thy poore neighbours, but,

*If thou be poore, and canst not feast at all,
Goe feast with such as shall to feasting call.*

A short Description of England.

THIS famous Kingdom, is bordered on the North, with *Scotland*, on the South with the Brittainish sea, on the East, with the Brittainish Ocean, and on the West, with the *Hibernian* seas, it is situate in the temperate Zone, and eyght Climates, watered with a multitude of Christall streames, Currents, and navigable Rivers, the Bankes whereof, are crowned with flowry meadows, the meadows replenished with abundance of Cattle, and accosted with all maner of fertile fields, of all manner of corne, and graine. And besides all these affords many other Commodities and rarities.

This Kingdome, was at the first inhabited by some colonies which transplanted themselves from the neighbouring coasts of *France*, and lower *Germany*, as the affinity of their language, Pollicye, Religion, and manners do unquestionably prove, being the off-spring of *Gomer*, of *Japheth*, progeny, as their owne appellation doth witness

wienesse, calling themselves *Komery*, who possessed and governed this land above one thousand yeares, about 54. yeares before the Nativity of our Lord and Saviour: *Julius Caesar*, entred this Iland, which within one hundred & fifty, yeares after was subjugated by the Romans, under whose command they lived untill the 430. yeete after Christ, when the Roman Empire declining, was forced to call home their *garisons*, and having before exhausted the strength of this Kingdome, left it a prey to the enemy, whereupon the *Picts* assaulting this land thus furnished and weakned, they were compelled to crave the ayde of the *Saxons* and *Anglies* a warlike nation, inhabiting neare the confines of *Denmarke*, who being arrived chased away their enemies, and allured with the temperature, fertillity, and pleasantnesse of the Country flowing in great numbers, expelled the Brittaines or *Komeros* that would not live under their lawes and subjection. And so held it untill the yeare 1066. when *William* the Conquerer with his *Normans* subdued them, whose successors have continually enjoyed to this present time.

It was anciendy divided by the *Romans* into three parts, *Brittania Primum*, from the South Parts to Trent, *Maximam Cesariensem* from thence Northward. And *Brittaniam Secundam*, which we now call *Wales*.

After by the *Saxons*, it was devided into an *Heptarchia* which at last reduced to a monarchy, was by *Elfred* divided into shires wapentakes, and tithings with Iustices, and Sherrifes appointed for ministring of Iustice which partly conformed partly altered by *William* the Conqueror was at last divided into 39. shires of the *English* with the Addition of the 13, of *Wales* in which are at this present two famous Universtities, the *Seminaries* of vertue and learning, 26, Bishopricks 641, Market Townes, 186. Castles 9725. Parrish Churches, 555, Rivers, 956, Bridges 133, Chafes 68, Forrests. And 781 Parke, Tribunals, or Courts of Iustice, temporall nine viz, Parliament, Star Chamber Chancery, Kings Bench

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Exchequer, common Pleas, Court of wards, Admiralty, and Court of Requests; besides Court Leete, and Barron, Spirituall seven; of Convocation, Synods, Audience, Arches, Prerogatives, Faculties, and Peculiar Iurisdiction. Rankes of Nobility nine; that is, Dukes, Marqueses, Earles, Viscounts, Barrons, Barroners, Knights, Esquires, and Gentlemen. And of Inferiour Ranke, or Comonality three; Yeomen, Tradesmen, Husbandmen, &c:

The Battailles both by Sea, and Land, since the Conquest, fought by the Kings, Nobility, and Commons, against forraigne Invasions, and Domestique, and Intestive Warres 75, the last and most admirable, being in the chase of the Spanish Armado, Anno Dom: 1588. Wherein was 10. Leaders, of 10, Provinces, 72, Gallies, and Gallions, 47 Ships, and Hulkes, 11 Pinaces, and Carvals, 2843. great Ordinances, 9194, Saylers, 18658, Souldiers, 2088. Gally slaves.

*Tables of Weights, Measures, Valluations of Coyne, &c.
Used and allowed heere in England.*

<i>Weight of wooll.</i>	<i>weight of Butter and Cheese.</i>	<i>weight of Vessels and Casks.</i>
1 Stone 14 l.	1 Clove is 8 l	1 Firkin of 6 l
1 Tod 28 l.	1 Wey is 256 l	1 Kilderkin 13 l
1 Wey 168 l.	1 Wey 336 l	1 Barrell 26 l
1 Sack 364 l or 26 stone.	1 Clove 8 l	1 load lead 2100
	cheese is sold by the stone & hundred	
1 Last of wooll is 12 sacks, 24 Weyes, 156 Tods, 312 stones, 624 Cloves, or 4368 l. weight.		
1 Last of Herrings containe 1000, every thousand ten hundred.		

Haver de poyse weight is 16 ounces to the l.

1l.	16 Oz.	8 Drag.	3 Scrup.	20 Grai.
1	16	128	384	7680
	1	8	24	480
		1	3	60
			1	20

Troy

Langley. 1635.

Troy weight 12 Oz. to weigh bread, coy c, or,

Pound	Ounces	Penny	Graines	Mites
1	12	20	24	20
1	12	240	5760	15200
	1	20	480	960
The penny weight,	1		24	480
or 24 graines Barley	4		1	20

Measures for Corn, Fruite, Salt, Oyle, Oysters, Lime, Cole,
Last, quarter, cornooke, strik, bushel, half, tu peck, gallon.

1	10	2	2	2	2	2	2
1	10	10	40	80	160	320	640
	1	2	4	8	16	32	64
		1	2	4	8	16	32
			1	2	4	8	16
				1	2	4	8
					1	2	4
						1	2

Wine measure.

Tunne, Butt, Hoghead, Gallon, Pottle, Quarte, Pinte

1	2	2	36	2	2	2
1	2	4	252	504	1008	2016
	1	2	126	252	504	1008
		1	63	126	252	504

A Tun of wine containeth 3 Punchions, and the Butt containeth 1 Punchion and a halfe.

A small Groce is 12 dozen; & a great 12.times 12 doz.

Ale or Beere measure.

Butt, Bar, Kilderkin, Firkin, Gallon, Pottle, Quarte, Pinte

1	2	4	8	84	86	336	672
	1	2	4	42	84	168	336
		1	2	21	42	84	168
			1	10	21	42	84

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Measuring of Carne.

Gallon, Poile, Quart, Pint, half pint, qua. pin

Gallon is	1	2	4	8	16	32
Pecke	2	4	8	16	32	64
Halfe bushell	4	8	16	32	64	128
Bushell	8	16	32	46	128	256
Strike	16	32	46	128	256	512
Carnooke	32	64	128	256	512	1024
Quarter	64	128	256	512	1024	2048
Wey	384	768	1536	3072	6144	12288
Last	640	1280	2560	5120	10240	20480

Liquor measures.

Gallon, Poile, Quart, Pints, half pint, qua. pin:

Firkin of Ale	8	16	32	64	128	256
Firk. of Beere	9	18	36	72	144	288
Kilder. of Ale	16	32	64	128	256	512
Kilderk. Beere	18	36	72	144	288	576
Kilderk. Wine	18	36	72	144	288	576
Barrell of Ale	32	64	128	256	512	1024
Barrell Beere	36	72	144	288	576	1152
Barrell Wine	31	62	124	248	496	1992
Hogshead wi.	63	126	252	504	1008	2016
Tierce wine	84	168	336	672	1344	2688
Buttor pipe	126	252	504	1008	2016	4032
Tun of win.	252	504	1008	1016	4032	8064

In a foote of Timber are contained of Cubicall }
Square Inches. 1728

But of square quarters of Inches 110522

In a foote of Board or glasse is contained 144 square inches. Now to know how much of any bredth must be had in length for a foote, deuide 144 the square inches that are contained in one foote by the inches contained in the bredth of the board or glasse, and the Quotient sheweth how many inches of that bredth must bee had in length for a foote. As for example, I have a peece of Glasse 9 inches in bredth, by which 9, I deuide 144. and the Quotient is 16. And so much in length of that bredth must be had for a Foote.

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Husbandry ought to be regarded according to the nature of the Country, earth ayre, little or much heate, cold or moysture, doth increase or diminish, and accordingly must the good husbandman alter his Seasons, labours, and Instruments. In fruitfull vales where stiffe clay is, tillage must be begun betimes, The Plowes, and other Implements strong, the labour more painefull: In mixt fruitfull soyles begin at latter seasons: In light sandy ground fruitfull, there seasons latest, there furniture, and labour least: In Barren Grownds regard a fit season of the yeare, and let your plows, and Implements be framed according to the nature of the ground.

When you have occasion to garden begin betimes in warme places, as in the South, but in the north and such places where the ayre is more nipping more later.

In setting hearbes leave a handfull above, and a foote below ground, and twine the roots of those you see, Gilly flowers excepted, pinkes set moyst, and sow dry.

Set slips at any time without shankes except at Midsomer or in frosts.

Gather for the pot medicinable hearbes tender and greene, the Sap being at the top, but in Winter the rootes most availeable. All hearbes once in 7, yeares should be renewed except Rosemary, set and sow these in great plots Artichokes, Parsenips, Turnips, karrers, Onyons, Skirrits Cabbages, &c.

Gather all your Seedes dead ripe and dry.

Let no dung come neare the rootes of hearbes if not well rotted, for it is to hot even for trees.

Thin setting & sowing is availeable a foote distance.

Set and sow Hearbes in the time of their growth, except at midsomer, for then they are too tender, but trees in the time of their rest.

Gather your store hearbes for Winter, for the pot, about *Lammas*, and dry them and pound them, hang them up in paper bags.

Weede your gardens, after a shower of raine, choose such

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such weeders that know hearbs & flowers from weeds.

Graft or Plant trees in the new moone, the winde South or West, in *Taurus virgo, Capricorne*.

Remoove and set young trees from *October*, untill *February*, in the new Moone weather warme and dry.

Cut Vines in *January* or *February*.

Fell Timber for continuance to be without worms in *January*, or *December*, two or three dayes before the Moone change, but if you will have it to grow againe, cut it downe in the new Moone, cut hedges betweene the change of the Moone, and the full, from the end of *January*, untill *May*.

Sheare sheepe, Cut haire, and sow all manner of Corne in the new of the Moone.

Set and sow all maner of seedes, the moone in *Aries, Taurus, Cancer, Virgo, Liba, Capricorne, Aquaries, or Pisces*, but the seedes whose rootes be round, should be sowne or set three or foure dayes before or after a full Moone.

Dung Land, that weedcs may not abound, in the last quarter of the Moone.

Geld, or Lib Cattle, the Moone in *Aries, Libra, Sagittarius*, after the full Moone, you may let them blood, at any time, the signe not being in the heart, nor in the place where the Incision, must be made, nor in the day of the Moones change; gather flowers and seedes you minde to keepe all the yeare at a full moone, first dry them in the shade, after Sunne them, the like doe with hearbes.

Gather your fruite in the last quarter of the Moone sort every sort by it selfe, mix them not with fallings or bruised, choose a dry afternoone, to gather them.

Let vertue spring, and vice decay,
and God will turne his wrath away.

Repent thy sinne, and doe no more,
then Corne, and Cattle, thou shalt have store.

Lay Pride aside, and belly cheere,
and God will send a happy yeere,

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